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### Equinox Project Update

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SIX Group AG ("SIX") with SIX Swiss Exchange AG ("SSX") and Bolsas y Mercados Españoles ("BME") are pleased to confirm that the Equinox project is continuing to progress according to the announced plan. The implementation will be carried out in three stages:

- Stage 1 – Equities and Equity like Products
- Stage 2 – Fixed Income and Structured Products
- Stage 3 – Derivative Products

A detailed timeline for the new Equinox platform will be shared in due course. The key milestones for the first stage are as follows:

- Q1 2026: First version of the specifications will be published
- Q2 2026: Updated specifications will be published
- Q3 2026: First version of the Member test environment will be available
- Q4 2026: Conformance test will be available
- First half of 2027: Equinox platform will go live for Equities and Equity-like products

Please note that all current interfaces (STI, OTI, QTI, IMI, current BME FIX and binary interfaces) will be replaced in stages by new interfaces used by the Equinox platform. While the future specifications will not replicate the current Aquis interfaces, they will serve as the starting point for development. Additionally, the SIX MDDX (Multi-Dimensional Data FluX) interface will also undergo changes. However, these changes will be more limited in scope, as the MDDX standard must remain compatible with other markets that are not yet transitioning to the Equinox platform.

We would also like to remind you that the SSX and BME Member Sections contains a repository with all materials relevant for the Equinox project. This currently includes:

- A FAQ document, updated quarterly
- Presentations
- All messages sent to date

Should you have any questions or requests, please feel free to contact us at [SIXMigration@six-group.com](mailto:SIXMigration@six-group.com).

We will continue to keep you regularly updated on progress and upcoming milestones.

SIX continuously strives to expand and improve its range of services and products. We hope you are as excited as we are about the future of our new harmonized trading platform allowing our participants access to investment opportunities in multiple markets through one plug. We are looking forward to embarking on this new journey with you!

**If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us:**

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